Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

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1. (Currently Amended) A data cartridge exchange apparatus ~~for use~~ used in a data storage system, said data cartridge exchange apparatus comprising a drawer having a first data cartridge storage location and a second data cartridge storage location, the drawer being operatively associated with said data storage system so that the first data cartridge storage location may be moved between a first position and a second position and so that the second data cartridge storage location may be moved between a third position and a fourth position, the first data cartridge storage location being operatively associated with the second data cartridge storage location so that the first data cartridge storage location may be moved independently from the second data cartridge storage location and so that the first data cartridge storage location may be moved together with the second data cartridge storage location, said drawer defining a first configuration and a second configuration, said first and second data cartridge storage locations being positioned adjacent one another in the first configuration, said first and second data cartridge storage locations being separated by a spaced distance in the second configuration.

2. (Canceled)

3. (Previously Presented) The data cartridge exchange apparatus of claim 1, wherein said first and second data cartridge storage locations are releasably engaged with one another so that said first data cartridge storage location may be moved together with said second data cartridge storage location, and wherein said first and second data cartridge